IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA BUTTE DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CR 19–03–BU–DLC

Plaintiff,

ORDER

VS.

JOHN MICHAEL WHITEHEAD,

Defendant.

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on the United States' Motion for Preliminary Order of Forfeiture (Doc. 28). Defendant John Michael Whitehead appeared before the Court on March 18, 2019, and entered a plea of guilty to Counts I, II, and III of the Indictment. He also admitted the forfeiture allegation. Whitehead's plea provides a factual basis and cause to issue an Order of Forfeiture, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2253(a).

IT IS ORDERED:

THAT Whitehead's interest in the following property is forfeited to the United States in accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 2253(a):

- 1. Samsun Galaxy S7 smart phone with SD card; and
- 2. LG H631 smart phone

THAT the United States Marshals Service and the Federal Bureau of Investigation are directed to seize the property subject to forfeiture and further to make a return as provided by law;

asserting a legal interest in any of the above-described property and will post on an official government internet site (www.forfeiture.gov) for at least 30 consecutive days as required by Rule G(4)(a)(iv)(C) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset Forfeiture Actions of the Court's Preliminary Order and the United States' intent to dispose of the property in such a manner as the Attorney General may direct, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2253(a) and 21 U.S.C. § 853(n)(1), and to make its return to this Court that such action has been completed; and

THAT upon adjudication of all third-party interests, if any, the Court will enter a Final Order of Forfeiture.

DATED this 25th day of June, 2019.

Dana L. Christensen, Chief Judge

United States District Court